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For:

FUNGICIDAL COMPOSITION COMPRISING A PYRIDYLETHYLBENZAMIDE DERIVATIVE AND A COMPOUND CAPABLE OF INHIBITING THE SPORES GERMINATION OR MYCELIUM GROWTH BY ACTING ON DIFFERENT

METABOLIC ROUTES

## **AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

This response is in reply to the Office Action mailed March 6, 2009, in the above-identified application. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

## FEE CALCULATION

The Terminal Disclaimer fee of \$140 is to be charged to Deposit Account Number 15-0700.

No additional fee is required for claims or an extension.

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## **CONTINGENT EXTENSION REQUEST**

If this communication is filed after the shortened statutory time period had elapsed and no separate petition is enclosed, the Director of Patents and Trademarks is petitioned, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), to extend the time for filing a response to the outstanding office action by the number of months which will avoid abandonment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.135. The fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 should be charged to Deposit Account No. 15-0700.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

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